

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Nakayoshi et al. **Confirmation No.:** 2691

Serial No.: 10/598,967 **Group Art Unit:** 1794

Atty. No.: 71,051-070 **Examiner:** Cathy Fong Fong Lam

Filed: July 11, 2007

Title: **METAL BASE CIRCUIT SUBSTRATE FOR AN OPTICAL DEVICE
AND METHOD MANUFACTURING THE AFOREMENTIONED
SUBSTRATE**

AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action from the Examiner dated March 8, 2010, the subject Amendment is being submitted in conjunction with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). This Amendment is filed within the three-month period for response and it is believed that no fees are due. A complete listing of all claims pending in the application is included in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.121. The Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to consider the amendments to the claims and the accompanying remarks.